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Honorable Vernon A. Williams, Secretary Surface Transportation Board 1925 K Street, N.W. Room 700

Washington, DC 20006

Re:

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SUPFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

STB Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 592X), CSX Transportation, Inc. –

Abandonment Exemption - in Clark County, IN

## Dear Secretary Williams:

The City of Jeffersonville, IN (the "City"), requested a notice of interim trail use/rail banking for an approximately 5.4 mile line of railroad, on the Midwest Region railroad line, known as the Louisville Division, Louisville Terminal/Hoosier Subdivision, extending between milepost B-1.3 near Watson and milepost B-6.7 near Jeffersonville, in Clark County, IN, in the above-entitled proceeding. The current extension of the negotiating period expires on July 29, 2006. CSX Transportation, Inc. ("CSXT") has not consummated the abandonment, has been unable to finalize negotiations with the City, and desires to continue to negotiate for interim trail use/rail banking with the City. CSXT respectfully requests the Board to grant a 180-day extension of time to January 25, 2007 to negotiate trail use with the City. Additionally, CSXT respectfully requests an extension of the date to consummate the abandonment to March 26, 2007.

Enclosed please find the original and 10 copies of this letter, and a filing fee of \$350.00. Please time and date stamp a copy of this letter and return it with the enclosed self-addressed and stamped letter.



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Thank you for your assistance and please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

Steven C. Armbrust

cc: Parties of Record